

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Abraham R. Matthews	Attorney Docket No.: FORT-000400
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For: SYSTEM AND PROTOCOL FOR FRAME RELAY SERVICE OVER THE INTERNET	Confirmation No.: 6200

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Examiner mailed November 16, 2006, finally rejecting Claims 1-3, 5-25, 30, 31 and 34-47. Payment in the amount of \$500.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee specified in 37 CFR §41.20(b) is being submitted via EFS-Web concurrently with the filing of this paper. Accordingly, the Notice of Appeal is believed to be timely and no additional fee is believed to be required.

Dated: March 10, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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